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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT  
IN DEPARTMENT REVIEW COMMITTEE (DRC)  
DATE: APR 8 1968

# Memorandum

TO : MR. SULLIVAN *WC9* *u/v*

FROM : MR. BRANIGAN

SUBJECT: CHRISTINE KEELER;  
JOHN PROFUMO

1 - Mr. Belmont  
1 - Mr. Mohr  
1 - Mr. Daleach 6-21-68

1 - Mr. Sullivan  
1 - Liaison  
1 - Mr. Foarde  
1 - Mr. Litrento  
1 - Mr. Branigan

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The Director stated that he wanted to resolve this angle re [REDACTED] statement concerning the FBI today.

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MEMORANDUM FOR MR. SULLIVAN  
RE: CHRISTINE KEELER; JOHN PROFUMO

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(b7D)

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JL(2)

ACTION:

There is no basis in fact for the allegation that the FBI knew about the Profumo matter in 1961 and no further action is required.

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DATE OF ISSUE FOR

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FROM DIRECTOR FBI (65-68218)

CHRISTINE KELLER, JOHN PROFUMO, IS - R AND GB.

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REBUTEL TO CHICAGO, COPIES TO ST. LOUIS, JUNE TWENTY-ONE LAST

SETTING FORTH BACKGROUND IN INSTANT CASE.

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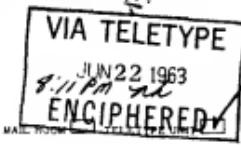
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U. S. EMBASSY  
RECORDS SHOW [REDACTED] U. S. CITIZEN, ARRESTED JUNE  
ONE NINE SIX TWO, IN LONDON ON CHARGE OF FALSE PRETENSES AND REPATRIATED  
AFTER CONVICTION TO U. S. IN CARE OF [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] (S)  
[REDACTED]  
LOCATE AND INTERVIEW [REDACTED] SUBMIT  
RESULTS PROMPTLY IN FORM SUITABLE FOR DISSEMINATION. TRIAL OF WARD  
BEGINS JUNE TWENTY-EIGHT NEXT, SO SUTEL IMMEDIATELY SUMMARY OF INTERVIEW

WHO SHOULD CHECK PASSPORT DIVISION, U. S. DEPARTMENT OF STATE.

Toison \_\_\_\_\_  
Belmont \_\_\_\_\_  
Mohr **65-68218-70** djw  
Casper \_\_\_\_\_  
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TELETYPE TO ST. LOUIS  
RE: CHRISTINE KELLER  
JOHN PROFUMO  
65-68218

FOR INFORMATION RE [REDACTED]

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L PASSPORT NUMBER [REDACTED] AND HOLDER OF U. S.  
DECEMBER THREE, ONE NINE FIVE NINE. [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] BUFILED  
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WFO ALSO CHECK RECORDS OF INS FOR INFORMATION RE PATRICIA MARY  
BAINES, FORMER WIFE OF STEVEN WARD, NOW BELIEVED TO BE IN U. S. SHE  
AND WARD WERE MARRIED IN ONE NINE FOUR NINE AND LATER DIVORCED (S) (4)

THRU 11/11/63

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# Memorandum

TO : W. C. Sullivan *(b7c)*

FROM : F. J. Baumgardner *(b7c)*

SUBJECT: CHRISTINE KEELER  
JOHN PROFUMO  
IS - R - GREAT BRITAIN

DATE: 6-24-63

1 - Belmont  
1 - Mohr  
1 - DeLoach  
1 - Sullivan  
1 - Branigan  
1 - Stewart  
1 - Liaison  
1 - Donohue

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*f2* Branigan  
*(b7c)*

[REDACTED] OSI, telephonically contacted week-end Supervisor J. D. Dorohue at 5:30 P.M. 6-23-63 and advised that Inspector [REDACTED] OSI, in connection with a briefing for General Carroll on 6-24-63 requested a name search on Harry Alan Towers and Maria Novotny. Towers and Novotny were arrested by the New York City Police Department in March, 1961, and Towers was charged with maintaining a disorderly house while Novotny was charged with soliciting for prostitution. The New York Journal - American in two sensational articles is attempting to link the Towers case with Christine Keeler.

After checking with Supervisor W. D. Stewart, [REDACTED] was furnished the facts of the Towers arrest and arraignment for violation of the White Slave Traffic Act and his subsequent jumping of bond by fleeing to Europe. [REDACTED] was advised that Towers was last known to be in Czechoslovakia and Novotny in England.

At 6:50 P.M. [REDACTED] OSI, called back and said they were particularly interested in the references in the Journal - American articles to the possible connection of the Towers case to United Nations personnel. After checking with Mr. Branigan and you, OSI was advised at 7:30 P.M. that we had nothing to back up the newspaper account.

## ACTION:

For information.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

TO : Mr. Mohr

FROM : C. D. DeLoach

SUBJECT: CHRISTINE KEELER  
JOHN PROFUMO  
IS-R, GREAT BRITAIN

DATE: June 13, 1963

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DATE 7/21/02 BY Saj, DELOACH

ap/est J. B. B. N. B. B.  
wallace

Assistant Director Sullivan has been keeping my Division advised of the above-captioned espionage case in London. A cablegram from the Legal Attache (Legal in London 6-12 reflected the connections of several Americans in this particular case.

(b)(1) When my office was advised 6/12/63 of the information regarding [REDACTED] I specifically issued instructions to the men in my Front Office that we were to continue a strict "no comment" regarding this matter.

- 1 - Mr. Belmont
- 1 - Mr. Sullivan
- 1 - Mr. Jones
- 1 - Mr. Morrell

CDD;saj;bb  
(6)

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DeLoach to Mohr 6-13-63

Re: Christine Keeler, John Profumo, IS-R, Great Britain

[REDACTED] (b7D)

This, of course, means that the New York Daily News and perhaps other American newspapers have had information concerning [REDACTED] for several days. We, nevertheless, will maintain strict silence insofar as inquiries are concerned regarding this matter. (b7D)

ACTION:

For information.

(P.M. 5/13 W.C.S. V  
8/10/63)

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DATE: APR 9 1967

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Belmont

Mohr

CABLEGRAM

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Declassify on: QADR 1 - DeLoach

TO LEGAL ATTACHE, LONDON 1 - Sullivan

FROM DIRECTOR, FBI (65-68218) 1 - Branigan

CHRISTINE KEELER, JOHN PROFUMO, INTERNAL SECURITY - R

AND GREAT BRITAIN.

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DATE 11/20/07 BY SP-12

THE NEW YORK JOURNAL AMERICAN IS ALLEGING IT HAS INFORMATION  
MARIA NOVOTNY IS THE NIECE OF ANTONIN NOVOTNY, PRESIDENT OF  
CZECHOSLOVAKIA. IMMEDIATELY HAVE HER BIRTH RECORDS REVIEWED  
AND IN PARTICULAR DETERMINE WHERE THE NAME NOVOTNY ORIGINATED.

YOUR LETTER MARCH TWENTY-EIGHT, ONE NINE SIX ONE, YOUR FILE THIRTY  
ONE DASH -THREE CONCERNING HARRY ALAN TOWERS, INDICATES A  
REVIEW OF VISA RECORDS, AMERICAN EMBASSY, LONDON, WHEREIN  
NOVOTNY WAS IDENTIFIED AS STELLA MARIE DIBBEN NEE CAPES, ALSO  
KNOWN AS MARIA NOVOTNY, MARIA CAPES AND MARILLA CAPES. THESE  
RECORDS REVEAL SHE WAS REPORTEDLY BORN IN SHEFFIELD, ENGLAND,  
ON MAY NINE, ONE NINE FOUR ONE, AND TRAVELED TO THE U. S. ON  
UNITED KINGDOM PASSPORT NUMBER FIVE SIX ONE EIGHT EIGHT ZERO  
ISSUED OCTOBER TWENTY-SIX, ONE NINE SIX ZERO. ATTEMPT #  
ESTABLISH IF NOVOTNY IS THE NAME SHE ADOPTED FOR SHOW BUSINESS.

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1 - 31-88535 (Harry Alan Towers)

VIA CABLEGRAM

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CABLEGRAM TO LEGAT, LONDON

RE: CHRISTINE KEELER, JOHN PROFUMO  
65-68218

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RE: JOHN PROFUMO  
Christine Keeler

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Our files do not show that we had any information concerning Keeler, Ward, and these activities. We have checked the cables from the Legat, London, and he states that the information received by the embassy was not known to the Legat's office. To be certain that the Legat did not have any of this information.

we are calling Legat Bates to pin this down.

We have arranged to interview [redacted] and Assistant Director Malone has been instructed during this interview to pin this allegation down and find out where it came from, so that we can run it down if necessary. - CLASSIFIED

ADD: AHB:CSH  
Bates telephonically advised he had not heard of  
the Profumocase before it broke in the  
British press.

Office files do not show that the Office knew of it or briefed anyone re it.

**ENCLOSURE**

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(E) 65-68218

Date: June 21, 1963

To: Director  
Central Intelligence Agency

Attention: Deputy Director, Plans

From: John Edgar Hoover, Director

Subject: CHRISTINE KEELER;  
JOHN PROFUMO  
INTERNAL SECURITY - RUSSIA - GREAT BRITAIN

BY LIAISON

1 - Mr. Belmont

1 - Mr. Sullivan

1 - Mr. Branigan

1 - Liaison

1 - Mr. Litrento

To J. Anglin  
6/21/63  
SAC  
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There is attached a letterhead memorandum dated June 21, 1963, which reports the high lights of information furnished by [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] which relates to the matter involving former British War Minister John Profumo.

Enclosure

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

## *Memorandum*

To V. C. Sullivan

FROM : W. A. Branigan

SUBJECT: CHRISTINE KEEL

1 - Mr. Belmont  
1 - Mr. Mohr  
1 - Mr. DeLoach  
DATE: June 22, 1963  
**CONFIDENTIAL**  
1 - Mr. Sullivan  
1 - Mr. Branigan  
1 - Liaison  
1 - Mr. Litrento  
1 - Mr. Stokes

This memorandum summarizes the information furnished by [redacted] on June 21, 1963.

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19 JUN 26 1963

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Memorandum for Mr. Sullivan  
RE: CHRISTINE KEELER  
JOHN PROFUMO  
65-68218

(b7D)

ACTION:

Letters are being prepared under date of June 24, 1963, to the Attorney General, Special Assistant to the President O'Donnell, the Secretary of State, the Secretary of Defense and the Director of the Central Intelligence Agency furnishing the above information.

(b7D)

LHM

*[Handwritten signatures and initials]*

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENTAL INFORMATION CONTROL ACT OF 1962

# Memorandum

TO

A. H. Belmont ASHEIED AND EXTENDED BY ADVICE OF C.I.A. June 25, 1963

FROM

W. C. Sullivan, I - Liaison  
DATE OF REVIEW FOR DECLASSIFICATION: 8/25/93

SUBJECT

CHRISTINE KEELER;  
JOHN PROFUMO  
INTERNAL SECURITY - RUSSIA - GREAT BRITAIN

Classified by [REDACTED] Declassify on: OADR

This memorandum is prepared to advise that New York has been instructed to hold up the reinterview of [REDACTED] until additional information has been obtained.

CLASSIFIED DOCUMENTS DIVISION  
BY DEPARTMENT OF STATE

(b7D) (b7D)  
New York was instructed telephonically on June 22, 1963, to hold up on the reinterview of [REDACTED] since it was anticipated that additional information would be developed concerning him and it would be desirable to have all the information available prior to his reinterview. In this way we could make a better judgment concerning [REDACTED] honesty and could also be in a better position to obtain the truth from him in such a reinterview.

ACTION:

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

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TO : Mr. Belmont *(initials)*

FROM : W. C. Sullivan WC8 *(initials)*

SUBJECT: CHRISTINE KEELER  
JOHN PROFUMO

DATE: June 21, 1963

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INTERNAL SECURITY - RUSSIA AND GREAT BRITAIN

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BY DEPARTMENT REVIEW COMMITTEE (DRC)

DATE: APR 8 1967

We talked with Legal Attaché Bates 6/21/63 via Defense telephone facilities. He was instructed, pursuant to the Director's wishes, that he is not to leave his post without the specific approval of the Director and he was informed that the seriousness of the matters now being handled by his office requires his presence in London until further notice. Bates stated that he recognizes this and had cancelled his trip to the Scandinavian countries, sending an assistant instead. (SAC)

Bates acknowledged the instructions given earlier to Assistant Legat Minnich with respect to the forthcoming visit to London of Deputy Assistant Secretary of State William C. Burdett. He asked what information he should furnish in the event Burdett asked him for data concerning the case. We told him he could furnish Burdett any material which had been disseminated here at the Bureau. Bates asked that we keep him promptly informed concerning the dissemination we make and pointed out that it is most important for him to know about this so he will not be caught short in dealing with his contacts in London, both American and British. (SAC)

Bates asked that he be informed as quickly as possible concerning [REDACTED] These have been ordered by teletype and will be expedited. (SAC)

1-Mr. Belmont  
 1-Mr. Sullivan ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED  
 1-Mr. DeLoach HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED  
 1-Mr. Branigan EXCEPT WHERE SHOWN  
 1-Mr. Litrento OTHERWISE  
 1-Mr. Foarde REC-29  
 1-Liaison 3

GAD:mdg (8) *(initials)*

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CC: W.C. TIGLEY SECRET  
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Memorandum to Mr. Belmont  
from Mr. Sullivan  
RE: CHRISTINE KEELER  
JOHN PROFUMO  
INTERNAL SECURITY - RUSSIAN AND GREAT BRITAIN

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ACTION:

For information. We will keep you promptly informed  
of all developments.

K.S. A. <sup>read</sup> Vitruce

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

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BY DEPARTMENT REVIEW COMMITTEE (DRCC)  
DATE: APR 8 1967

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TO : MR. TOLSON

FROM : A. H. Belmont

SUBJECT: JOHN PROFUMO  
CHRISTINE KEELER  
Internal Security - R and GB

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DATE 6/20/63 BY 167885

cc Mr. Belmont  
Mr. Sullivan  
Mr. DeLoach  
Mr. Branigan

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Classified by 167885  
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Regarding Secretary McNamara's call to the Director's office, I reached the Secretary about 2 p.m. and advised him that I was acting for the Director in this matter.

He said he was concerned about the matter and would like me to come over to his office at 4:45 p.m. today to discuss it, along with Director McCone of Central Intelligence Agency. I mentioned to him that we had interviewed [redacted] in NY and that we were interviewing the [redacted] and if he preferred I could go over the matter with Lt. Gen. Carroll, who had also called us today regarding this matter. Secretary McNamara said he would appreciate it if I would come over with any information we had on the case and I told him I would be glad to come.

Yesterday we disseminated the results of [redacted] and I will furnish McNamara with a copy of the memorandum showing this interview, and also give him a copy of a memorandum we sent to the AG a few days ago showing information furnished by our Legat, which includes information from the Air Force that two US Airmen in England were involved with Keeler. I will be alert to see that this case is not dumped off on the FBI, pointing out that we are not operational abroad, and have no jurisdiction, and the activities of these airmen are the responsibility of the Defense Department. (u)

I also talked with Lt. Gen. Carroll, who advised that there were three Air Force men involved, the two we were aware of and another named Hamilton, and all three of them are being flown back to the States from England today for interrogation by the military.

[Redacted]

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I told Carroll that, while we have been following this through our Legal Attaché in London, it was in a liaison capacity only.

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Via AIRTEL

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI  
 FROM: SAC, NEW YORK (105-62043)  
 CHRISTINE KEELER, JOHN PROFUMO  
 IS-R & GR BRIT

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Re NY telephone call to Bureau 6/21/63.

Enclosed herewith is original and 5 copies of letterhead memorandum concerning captioned matter.

The reinterview of [REDACTED] was conducted by Asst. Dir. in Charge John F. Malone and SA [REDACTED]

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Domestic Intelligence Division

INFORMATIVE NOTE

Date June 23, 1963

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Instructions have been issued  
to have ██████ reinterviewed  
since there are unresolved allegations  
concerning his participation  
and knowledge of the affairs of  
Christine Keeler. Matters in this  
cable will be covered in reinterview

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FROM DIRECTOR, FBI (65-68218)

CHRISTINE KEELER, JOHN PROFUMO, INTERNAL SECURITY - R  
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(b7c) [REDACTED] SO THAT THE BUREAU CAN DETERMINE WHETHER  
THESE AMERICANS SHOULD BE INTERVIEWED IN THIS MATTER. (u) *ACD*

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MEMORANDUM FOR MR. TOLSON  
MR. BELMONT  
MR. DE LOACH  
MR. SULLIVAN

CHRISTINE

While discussing another matter, I advised the Attorney General that the Defense Department has interviewed the three airmen involved in the Keeler case and they indicated they had met Keeler in a night club over there which was the extent of their relationship with her

I advised the Attorney General they were being allowed to return to London. I said I doubted there was any espionage or intelligence violation but with these three going back to London, if they get a few drinks in them and start to boast and talk about what they did, they will have it in the London papers.

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The Attorney General asked if I had received any reports on this. I told him I had not but I would try to get a report.

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Very truly yours, 65- 67318-9

J. E. H.

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John Edgar Hoover  
Director

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

**Memorandum**

TO : W. C. SULLIVAN

DATE: June 20, 1963

FROM : D. J. BRENNAN

SUBJECT: CHRISTINE KEELER  
JOHN PROFUMO  
INTERNAL SECURITY - RUSSIA - GREAT BRITAIN

On June 20, 1963, Colonel David I. Walsh, Office of Special Investigations (OSI) Headquarters, advised Liaison Agent O'Connor that OSI has ascertained three airmen have been closely associated with Christine Keeler. The three were identified as [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] and had been assigned to communications work with the Air Force (AF) at South Ryslip AF Base, England. Colonel Walsh indicated the three Negroes had met Keeler in low-class night clubs, generally frequented by non-Caucasian elements in London. Colonel Walsh indicated the trio at the instructions of the Inspector General, AF, are being flown from England today for interrogation and to insure that the thrill-seeking English press does not get their story before the AF does. The three airmen will be housed at Bolling AF Base and the investigation is designed to determine whether Keeler had attempted to "pump" them for intelligence data which they might have in connection with their AF assignments. Colonel Walsh indicated he would keep Liaison advised of the results of the interrogations.

As a matter of interest, Colonel Walsh also advised investigation to date indicates a member of the AF as yet unidentified, sired Keeler's baby born in early 1959 who subsequently died two weeks after birth.

ACTION:

For information.

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- 1 - Mr. Belmont
- 1 - Mr. Sullivan
- 1 - Mr. Branigan
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**TO:** DIRECTOR, FBI(65-68218) AND SAC, CLEVELAND  
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**SUBJECT:** CHRISTINE KELLER; JOHN PROFUMO *HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED*  
IS - GREAT BRITAIN *DATE 7/31/82 BY SP/CS/KJC*

Re Bu teletypes dated 6/21 and 22/63.

Enclosed for Cleveland for information is one copy each of referenced teletype.

Cleveland handle.

note to S  
cc: [REDACTED]

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- 3 - Bureau (RM)
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Special Agent in Charge *J.*

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BY DEPARTMENT REVIEW COMMITTEE FOR CRYPTOLOGY  
DATE: APR 8 1987 Date 6/19/63

This cable verifies information furnished by [redacted]

the results of which we disseminated today. If you agree we will delete the references to the

Mr. DeLoach has talked to the Journal American regarding recommendation as to whether we will make a interview [redacted] upon receipt of Mr. DeLoach's memorandum.

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THIS MATTER HAS Affected ANGLO-AMERICAN SECURITY.

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Cable to London  
for 6-19-63  
Mr. Delmont for the Director

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TO: LEGAL ATTACHE LONDON  
FROM: DIRECTOR FBI

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CHRISTINE KEELER; JOHN PROFUMO; IS - R - GREAT BRITAIN  
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INS RECORDS REVEAL CHRISTINE KEELER AND MARILYN RICE-DAVIES  
ARRIVED NYC JULY ELEVEN SIXTY TWO AS PASSENGERS QUOTE SS NIEUW  
AMSTERDAM, QUOTE. DEPARTED US BOAC FLIGHT FIVE ZERO SIX JULY  
EIGHTEEN SIXTY TWO FOR LONDON.

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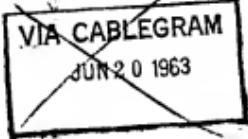
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TO SAC DALLAS

FROM DIRECTOR FBI (65-68218)

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FROM DIRECTOR FBI (65-68218)

CHRISTINE KELLER, JOHN PROFUMO, IS - R -- GREAT BRITAIN.

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TO : Mr. Belmont

FROM : W. C. Sullivan URGENT

SUBJECT: CHRISTINE KEELER  
JOHN PROFUMO  
INTERNAL SECURITY - RUSSIA AND GREAT BRITAINCLASSIFIER AND DATE: June 21, 1963  
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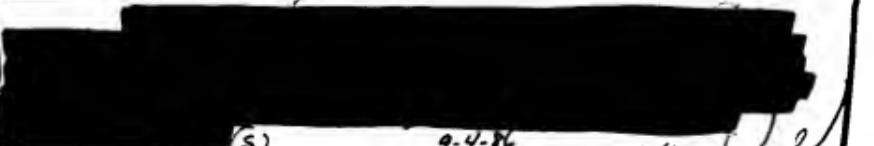
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DATE APR 8, 1971

Legal Attaché Bates telephoned from London via Defense facilities at 8:30 a.m., 6/21/63. He stated that the trial in this matter is scheduled to commence in London 6/28/63 and asked if our file review concerning the names he had submitted could be expedited and the results furnished to him promptly. (b)(4)



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We are expediting our name checks concerning the names already furnished by Bates and we have instructed him to continue to stay right on top of this situation so that the Bureau may be promptly informed of all developments.

- 1-Mr. Belmont
  - 1-Mr. Sullivan
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  - 1-Mr. Branigan
  - 1-Mr. Litrento
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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

~~Memorandum~~~~ENCLOSURE AND  
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TO : W. C. Sullivan ~~REVIEW FOR DECLASSIFICATION~~ DATE: 5/21/63

FROM : W. A. Branigan ~~63 7/21/63~~

SUBJECT: CHRISTINE KEELER,  
JOHN PROFUMO

INTERNAL SECURITY - RUSSIA - GREAT BRITAIN

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Based on limited identifying data available, we are unable to definitely identify any of these individuals in Bureau files except one F. W. Allport who is Fayette Ward Allport who died in 1958 and who for many years was the European Manager of the Motion Picture Association of America who lived in London.

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One person was identified by both her maiden name [REDACTED] and her married name [REDACTED] is clearly the famed American musical comedy star. Also names but identified only to London addresses are [REDACTED] all of whom may be identical with the well-known theatrical personalities. We have no derogatory data concerning [REDACTED] and have never investigated her. The identity of the [REDACTED] is not certain as the movie actor had three wives and the date of the London address is not known. The two military persons are Lieutenant Colonel [REDACTED] in the Army and Air Force and are not identifiable in our files and the military has been requested to identify them for us.

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Memorandum Mr. Branigan to Mr. Sullivan  
Re: CHRISTINE KEELER;  
JOHN PROFUMO  
65-68218

RECOMMENDATIONS:

1. That the field be instructed to interview the eight individuals on whom we have addresses in the United States. Attached for approval is teletype to appropriate offices. We are including among those to be interviewed [redacted] (67C) (61)
2. That Legat, London, be advised of result of check of Bureau files and that he be instructed to endeavor through his sources to ascertain the American addresses of the other personalities involved. Attached for approval is cablegram to Legat, London. (61) (n)

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TO DIRECTOR  
FROM LEGAT, LONDON

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CHRISTINE KEELER, JOHN  
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CHRISTINE KEELER, JOHN  
REMYCAB JUNE 15.

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EMBASSY RECORDS SHOW KEELER AND MARILYN RICE - DAVIES  
WENT TO U. S. EARLY PART OF JULY 1962. THEY WERE IN NEW  
YORK FOR WEEK OR 10 DAYS.

YORK FOR WEEK OR 10 DAYS. EMBASSY ADVISED  
STATE DEPARTMENT TODAY OF TRIP BY KEELER AND DAVIES, ALSO

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MR. REINHOLDT FOR THE DIRECTOR 1175-21A

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Pease	_____
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Holmes	_____
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OF AMBASSADOR'S DESIRE TO KNOW OF THEIR ACTIVITIES WHILE THERE. - 3

RECOMMEND THIS BE DONE AND INS RECORDS BE CHECKED RE  
KEELER AND DAVIES.

CHARLES W. BATES

RECEIVED: 3:20 PM HL

~~CC-MR. SULLIVAN~~  
~~3RD CC: MR. BRENNAN~~

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INFORMATIVE NOTE

Date 6-18-63

New York will also check Immigration and Naturalization Service records concerning Keeler and Rice-Davies.

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## Memorandum

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BY DEPARTMENT REVIEW COMMITTEE (DRCC)  
DATE: APR 8 1967

TO : W. C. SHILLAYAN DATE: 6-24-63

FROM : W. A. Branigan

SUBJECT: CHRISTINE KEELER  
JOHN PROFUMO  
IS - R - GREAT BRITAIN1 - Belmont  
1 - Mohr  
1 - DeLoach  
1 - Evans  
1 - Sullivan  
1 - Branigan  
1 - Liaison1 - Lee  
1 - Stark24-66  
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Declassify on DAB(b7C) On 6-22-63 SA [REDACTED] New York Office,  
telephonically advised week-end Supervisor [REDACTED] of  
results of investigations to date. [REDACTED] SA [REDACTED] referred  
to previous Bureau teletypes in which these names were set forth.  
He furnished the following information: # (b7C) VRS

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LIAISON SECTION, FBI, NEW YORK

FOID: 11-11111 FOR

DATE: 6-24-63 FOR

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Memorandum Mr. anigan to Mr. Sullivan  
RE: CHRISTINE KEELER  
JOHN PROFUMO

SA [redacted] stated that UACB, New York Office would submit detailed airtel on Monday concerning above and would continue with investigation on Monday when essential records become available. SA [redacted] was advised this would be satisfactory unless he received instructions to the contrary. In accordance with instructions from Mr. Sullivan, SA [redacted] New York Office, was thereafter informed that the airtel should be submitted now rather than on Monday. SA [redacted] said this would be done.

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DATE: APR 8 1967

TO SACS NEWARK  
RICHMOND

FROM DIRECTOR FBI (65-68218)

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EFFORTS TO LOCATE AND INTERVIEW [REDACTED] NEWARK

SUTEL RE [REDACTED]

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NOTE:

[REDACTED] Skel ordered field to locate and interview individuals named herein for knowledge in their possession concerning Ward's activities in vice and espionage.

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ON 3-3-87

Honorable P. Kenneth O'Donnell  
Special Assistant to the President  
The White House  
Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Mr. O'Donnell:

Reference is made to my letter of June 24, 1963,  
which furnished a summary of information received from

[REDACTED] during his reinterview on June 21, 1963,  
relating to matters involving the former British War Minister  
John Profumo.

There is enclosed a memorandum dated June 27, 1963,  
which summarizes information obtained

This information has been furnished to the  
Attorney General; the Secretary of Defense; the Secretary  
of State; and the Director, Central Intelligence Agency.

To whom:  
Belmont \_\_\_\_\_  
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BY LIAISON

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Honorable Dean Rusk  
The Secretary of State  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Rusk:

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which furnished a summary of information received from

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relating to matters involving the former British War Minister  
John Profumo.

There is enclosed a memorandum dated June 27, 1963,  
which summarizes information obtained.

[REDACTED]

Sincerely yours,

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To whom:  
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 CHRISTINE KEELER  
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Enclosed for the Bureau are the original and  
 nine copies of a letterhead memorandum setting forth the  
 results of the interview of [REDACTED] (b7D)  
 on 6/25/63.

[REDACTED] was interviewed at her summer residence,  
 LI, NY, by SAS [REDACTED] (b7c)  
 and [REDACTED]

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1cc: Liaison  
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## UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

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In Reply, Please Refer to  
File No.

New York, New York

June 26, 1963

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Christine Keeler 2-2-55 944575 pg 144 FEB 26, 1963  
Internal Security - R - Great Britain

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] was interviewed on June 25, 1963, concerning her knowledge of John Profumo, former British War Minister, Dr. Stephen Ward, British Osteopath, and others whose names appear associated, social or otherwise, with John Profumo or Dr. Stephen Ward.

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] first became acquainted with Dr. Stephen Ward during 1949, while she was residing at London, England. She described Dr. Ward at this time as having a reputation for going with attractive women; a Bohemian-type individual, who lived simply, according to his income, which, according to [REDACTED] was derived from his medical practice; occasional paintings, sketchings, and creations for magazine covers. (b7D)

Dr. Ward, during 1949, resided, and had offices at Portman Square, London, England.

Dr. Ward mixed freely among British social gatherings in London. He had a pleasing personality, and was knowledgeable of the then-current gossip. In general, his presence among British social circles was in great demand.

Lord Astor, described by [REDACTED] as an old acquaintance, was extremely fond of Dr. Ward, both for his social company and medical ability. She said that Lord Astor had been acquainted with Dr. Ward since before 1949.

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John Profumo;  
Christine Keeler

[REDACTED] Among British social circles, according to [REDACTED]  
Dr. Ward was considered to be a remarkable person.  
Medically, he was considered to be excellent and, in this regard,  
it was common gossip among the British social circle that Dr.  
Ward was lax in requesting payments for medical services  
rendered among those able to pay. He also gave his time and  
ability free to numerous patients unable to afford his  
services.

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[REDACTED]

During approximately May, 1962, [REDACTED] and  
her husband visited London, England. While there, they  
contacted Dr. Ward and had dinner at his home. Dr. Ward  
was then residing at a mews, exact address unknown, located  
near his office, 38 Devonshire Street, London, England.

[REDACTED] recalled that Dr. Ward's residence  
was sparsely furnished and that both she and her husband were  
of the opinion that Dr. Ward wasn't doing too well financially.  
During the conversation, Dr. Ward remarked that he was "unable  
to afford a new suit". [REDACTED] said that she and her  
husband suggested to him that he come to the United States  
where his art ability would be in great demand. Dr. Ward  
did not comment to their suggestion.

Following dinner, Dr. Ward remarked that he "was  
going around with a Russian diplomat, a naval attache,  
taking him to various social functions and introducing him to  
his friends". [REDACTED] questioned Dr. Ward's  
actions; however, Dr. Ward said he "had told British  
Intelligence and they said it was all right". The matter  
concerning the Russian was not further discussed.

John Profumo;  
Christine Keeler

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] advised that Dr. Ward has been acquainted socially with [REDACTED] for a number of years. She did not know the nature of any of their business dealings in which they might have been engaged.

[REDACTED] advised that she is also acquainted with [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] She noted that prior to the newspaper disclosures concerning Dr. Ward she had no knowledge that Dr. Ward and [REDACTED] were acquainted.

[REDACTED] commented that she was "shocked" upon learning that Dr. Ward had been accused of being a procurer and pimp, as well as possibly being involved in espionage activities on behalf of the Soviet Government.

She said that it was common knowledge among British social circles that Dr. Ward "liked pretty girls"; however, she was of the opinion that he would have "kept them for himself".

[REDACTED] noted that in her conversations with Dr. Ward concerning political matters, he would always seem to be opposed to the then-current trend of British political thinking. She said that she would not describe him as one adhering to the Communist line; however, would describe his thinking as being "somewhat Leftish".

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Date: 6/21/63

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FROM: LEGAT. LONDON (62-344) -- (P)

CHRISTINE KEELER;  
JOHN PROFUMO  
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(670) ReBucab 6/20/63 setting forth results of interview  
with [redacted] in New York.

A letter was received at the American Embassy on 6/19/63 by the Public Affairs Office. The letter was addressed "United States Embassy, 27 Grosvenor Square, London, W. 1 and was postmarked Barnstaple, Devon. This letter was as follows:

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"Dear Sirs:

"Now that the Profumo case has brought out the question of state security you should probe the affairs between [REDACTED] and our own [REDACTED]. She is interested in minutemen - he passes on the info to his Commie Pals.

"Don't trust secrets to  
(MP), or - he talks in his sleep -  
I slept with him.

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CC Wild (3) - Bureau  
1 Liaison (sent direct)  
1 - London  
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Special Agent in Charge

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London 62-344

The letter, as received by the American Embassy,  
was furnished to this office on 6/21/63 [REDACTED]

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June 27, 1968

BY LIAISON

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To Sir D. Profumo  
6-27-68 (B)

Honorable Robert S. McNamara  
The Secretary of Defense  
Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Mr. McNamara:

Reference is made to my letter of June 24, 1968, which furnished a summary of information received from [REDACTED] during his reinterview on June 21, 1968, relating to matters involving the former British War Minister John Profumo.

There is enclosed a memorandum dated June 27, 1968, which summarizes information obtained [REDACTED]

for [REDACTED]

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Sincerely yours,

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 FROM LEGAT LONDON NO. 848

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TO : W. C. Sullivan *(b) 1*

FROM : F. J. Baumgardner *(b) 1*

SUBJECT: CHRISTINE KEELER;  
JOHN PROFUMO

DATE: June 23, 1963

1 - Mr. Belmont  
1 - Mr. Mohr  
1 - Mr. Deloach  
1 - Mr. Evans  
1 - Mr. Sullivan  
1 - Mr. Branigan  
1 - Mr. Baumgardner  
1 - Mr. Lee *HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED*  
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1 - Mr. Shubert *WHEREVER*

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BY DEPARTMENT REVIEW COMMITTEE (DRC)  
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At 8 A.M., 6/23/63, Legal Attaché Charles Bates, London, telephonically furnished the following information to Special Agent William F. Shubert:

The Sunday edition of "News of the World," a London newspaper, which was described by Bates as a scandal sheet, carries a front-page story to the effect that the American FBI is making inquiries into revelations arising from the Profumo matter. It was indicated that at Washington's request MI-5 had furnished information about activities in England of an international blackmailing organization which was known as "the syndicate," and that American investigators had flown to England from Washington to interview several people. According to Bates, it is his belief that the mention of investigators arriving in England probably refers to certain Air Force personnel who arrived in London to conduct inquiry regarding Air Force personnel involved in captioned matter.

Bates indicated that the "Sunday Express," also a London newspaper, carried an article regarding prostitution and call girls in the United Nations and in other high places. Bates indicated he has reviewed all Sunday newspapers and the above two articles are the only stories of any consequence. He stated that he has received press inquiries and has indicated he had no comment. He advised that newspaper reporters are eagerly attempting to gain information and reportedly have attempted to surveil officers of Scotland Yard.

Bates indicated that it is his opinion the newspapers are attempting to piece together various bits of information in order to write stories regarding this matter; however, he believes that, from the papers he reviewed today, an attempt is being made to play this matter down.

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Memorandum for Mr. Sullivan  
RE: CHRISTINE KEELER  
JOHN PROFUMO  
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ACTION:

None. This is for your information.

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This sets forth results of interview of [redacted] who treated Mrs. [redacted] Davies when she and Christine Keeler were in New York in July, 1963. This also includes details of interview of [redacted] well-known musical comedy star.

[S] advised that neither she nor her husband had ever met Ward, although she had lived in England for about two and one-half years during 1950-1951. Attached will be disseminated to the British, CIA, State Department and Defense Intelligence Agency.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
New York, New York

June 24, 1963

Re: Christine Keeler;  
John Profumo

NY

[Redacted area] (b)(7D)

He advised that he did not know Mandy Rice-Davies prior to this visit and has not treated her since the visit. He also indicated that he does not know Christine Keeler or any others of the personalities mentioned in connection with this affair in Great Britain.

[Redacted area] (b)(7D)

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They both advised they had followed the whole affair in the newspapers and that they knew none of the participants involved and that they both had a chance to observe Dr. Ward's photograph and neither of them knew Dr. Ward either by sight or by name.



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*John Profumo  
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UPI-73

(PROFUMO)

WASHINGTON--THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT TODAY CLEARED THREE U.S. AIR FORCE MEN WHO WERE FLOWN HOME FROM BRITAIN FOR QUESTIONING IN THE PROFUMO SEX AND SECURITY SCANDALS.

THE AIRMEN WERE NOT IDENTIFIED. BUT THE DEPARTMENT SAID INVESTIGATION HAD SHOWN THAT NONE WAS "INVOLVED DIRECTLY OR INDIRECTLY IN ANY WAY OR HAD ANY KNOWLEDGE" CONCERNING THE CASE.

IT DID SAY, HOWEVER, THAT TWO OF THEM HAD MET A GIRL NAMED "CHRISTINE." THIS WAS PRESUMED TO BE A PARTY GIRL CHRISTINE KEELER AROUND WHOM THE BRITISH SCANDAL HAS CENTERED.

BUT THE DEPARTMENT ADDED: "THEY HAD NO INTIMATE CONTACT WITH HER AND DIDN'T EVEN KNOW HER LAST NAME UNTIL THEY READ THE PUBLICITY CONCERNING HER IN THE NEWSPAPERS."

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6-26-62 SOC: 9P to AG

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Holmes	_____
Gandy	_____

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ADD 1 PROFUMO WASHINGTON (UPI-73)  
 IN ANSWER TO QUESTIONS, ASSISTANT DEFENSE SECRETARY ARTHUR SYLVESTER SAID THE AIRMEN "HAD NO INTIMATE CONTACT WITH HER EITHER PHYSICALLY OR SOCIALLY--THE WORD IS USED IN ITS BROADEST SENSE." THE ANNOUNCEMENT WAS ISSUED AFTER THE MEM HAD BORDERED PLANES TO RETURN TO THEIR BASE IN ENGLAND.  
 IT SAID THEY HAD BEEN FLOWN TO WASHINGTON FOR QUESTIONING FRIDAY BECAUSE OF RUMORS AND QUERIES INDICATING THAT THREE U.S. SERVICEMEN MIGHT HAVE BEEN INVOLVED IN THE PROFUMO CASE.  
 THE INVESTIGATION WAS DESCRIBED BY THE PENTAGON AS "AN EFFORT TO ENSURE THAT SECURITY INTERESTS WERE PROPERLY PROTECTED."

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ADD 2 PROFUMO WASHINGTON  
 MUCH OF THE STORM ABOUT THE CASE HAS CENTERED ON THE FACT  
 THAT SOVIET EMBASSY ATTACHE EUGENE IVANOV SHARED THE AFFECTIONS  
 OF MISS KELLER WITH RESIGNED DEFENSE MINISTER JOHN PROFUMO.  
 THE MEETINGS WERE ARRANGED BY DR. STEPHEN WARD.

BUT THE PENTAGON SAID THAT "UNTIL THE PUBLICITY BROKE, THEY  
 (THE AIRMEN) NEVER HEARD OF IVANOV, DR. WARD OR MR. PROFUMO,  
 AND THEY KNOWN NOTHING OF ANY ASSOCIATION MISS KEELER MIGHT HAVE  
 HAD WITH THEM."

"INVESTIGATION HAS NOT GIVEN ANY INDICATION WHATSOEVER OF ANY  
 SECURITY VIOLATION. NO MILITARY INFORMATION WAS EVER SOLICITED  
 FROM THESE MEN NOR WAS ANY EVER FURNISHED BY THEM."

SYLVESTER REFUSED TO SAY WHETHER A LIE DETECTOR WAS USED IN  
 THE QUESTIONING.

IN ANSWER TO QUESTIONS, HE SAID THE TWO WHO MET MISS KEELER HAD  
 DONE SO "FLEETINGLY." HE SAID THEY WERE ABLE TO IDENTIFY PICTURES OF  
 HER WHEN THESE APPEARED IN THE NEWSPAPERS.

HE SAID FALSELY THAT NO OTHER U.S. MILITARY PERSONNEL HAVE BEEN  
 QUESTIONED OR ARE IN ANYWAY RUMORED OR SUSPECTED OF CONNECTION WITH  
 THE CASE.

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The Attorney General

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Director, FBI

CHRISTINE KEELER;  
JOHN PROFUMO  
INTERNAL SECURITY - RUSSIA AND GREAT BRITAIN

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The Office of Special Investigations, Air Force, had informed this Bureau that three airmen, [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] allegedly knew Christine Keeler in the London area. Air Force transported these men to the United States for interrogation. The interviews disclosed another airman, [REDACTED] as having some knowledge of Keeler's activities. The interrogations by Air Force of the airmen involved indicated limited knowledge of Keeler and her associates, and the Air Force closed its case noting no espionage or counter-intelligence was involved. There is enclosed one copy each of interviews conducted by the Air Force of the above airmen.

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The Attorney General

NOTE:

See cover memorandum D. J. Brennan to W. C. Sullivan  
dated June 26, 1963, captioned as above, prepared by JOG:pp,

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (65-68218)

FROM: SAC, NEW YORK (105-62043)  
SUBJECT: CHRISTINE KEELER,  
JOHN PROFUMO  
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ReButel, 6/21/63 &amp; 6/22/63.

On 6/22/63, investigation was conducted at Federal Laboratories, Saltzburg, Pa., by the Pittsburgh office, who were advised no one by the name of [REDACTED] was associated with Federal Labs.. Examination of NYC phone directory listed I.T. & T. with offices at 67 Broad St., NYC, and it is known that I.T. & T. has a subsidiary named Federal Laboratories, however, neither I.T. & T. nor Federal Laboratories could locate a listing for [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] both denied any knowledge concerning Dr. STEPHEN WARD. [REDACTED] (b7C) (b7D)

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A review of NYW files, NY Telephone Directories and Address Telephone Directories failed to develop any information concerning [REDACTED]

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Investigation is continuing in NYW.

*Handled  
by J. G. S.  
8/28/68*

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## Memorandum

TO :

W. C. Sullivan (SAC) DOD 1053 DATE: 6/24/63

FROM :

W. A. Branigan (SAC) DOD 1053 DATE: 6/24/63

SUBJECT:

CHRISTINE KELLER; JOHN PROFUMO  
INTERNAL SECURITY - RUSSIA - GREAT BRITAIN

This memorandum outlines the investigation conducted to date and contemplated future handling of this case.

INVESTIGATION CONDUCTED TO DATE:

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BY DEPARTMENT REVIEW COMMITTEE

DATE: APR 8 1963

When this case broke in London our Local Attaché was instructed to maintain continuous liaison with his sources to make certain that all United States aspects of this case would be promptly resolved.

INVESTIGATION TO BE COMPLETED:9-15-66  
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Memo W. A. Branigan to W. C. Sullivan  
Re: CHRISTINE KEELER; JOHN PROFUMO  
65-68218

(b1) (S)

[REDACTED] This individual was one F. W. Allport who died in 1958. He was for many years the European manager of the Motion Picture Association of America and lived in London. Another person is believed to be identical with the famous American musical comedy star [REDACTED] since both her maiden and married names were included. [REDACTED] has been interviewed and has no knowledge of Ware.

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[REDACTED] (S) In some instances the people have moved or the buildings have been demolished for five or more years. Based on this, it is not believed that we should conduct a fugitive investigation to locate these people. The expenditure of manpower and funds is not justifiable since we have no indication that these persons would be knowledgeable about Keeler or Profumo. We will, of course, interview those who can be located without conducting an extensive investigation. [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] (S) The present whereabouts of Towers is not known and the Legal Attaché is attempting to determine same. Towers jumped bail in a White Slave Traffic Act case in New York in 1961. Chan is a Chinese American call girl and procurer both in the United States and London.

[REDACTED] (S) When the results of these interviews are received, they will be analyzed carefully keeping in mind the known propensity of prostitutes to lie to gain notoriety. [REDACTED]

RECOMMENDATION:

When the results of the above interviews have been received and analyzed, it would appear that all logical investigation will have been completed and if you agree, we will follow the above course of action by conducting a fugitive investigation.

DH O.P.  
W.A.S. and  
V.K.W.C.B.

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**TO SAC. NEW YORK**

FROM DIRECTOR, FBI (65-68218)

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(6) NEWSPAPER ARTICLE DATED JUNE TEN LAST IN LONDON, WHICH  
ARTICLE APPEARED IN NEW YORK DAILY NEWS, CONCERNING DOCTOR WARD  
ATTEMPTED TO LINK LONDON VICE OPERATION WITH U. S. VICE  
OPERATION INVOLVING TOWERS IN NEW YORK BECAUSE OF THE DISCOVERY  
THAT CALL GIRL SUZY CHAN PREVIOUSLY WAS MIXED UP WITH TOWERS  
IN NEW YORK.

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CHRISTINE KELLER, JOHN PROFUND, INTERNAL SECURITY - R  
AND GREAT BRITAIN.

IRS HEADQUARTERS ADVISED USA, NY REQUESTED THE COMPLETE  
IRS FILE ON [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] WHICH INCLUDES OUR REPORTS.

[REDACTED] IS REPORTEDLY HUNGARIAN GIRL REFERRED TO QUOTE BY JOURNAL  
AMERICAN UNQUOTE ARTICLES AS ONE WHO FURNISHED A RECORDING TO  
QUOTE GLOBE TROTTING RUSSIAN UNQUOTE FOR DELIVERY TO HUNGARY.  
BUREAU ADVISED IRS HEADQUARTERS TO HAVE IRS, NY, REMOVE OUR  
REPORTS AND TELL USA TO CHECK WITH YOUR OFFICE FOR REPORTS.  
YOU SHOULD REVIEW ALL YOUR REPORTS TO INSURE THERE IS NO INFO  
DETRIMENTAL TO BUREAU PRIOR TO FURNISHING REPORTS TO [REDACTED], USA.  
ALSO ASCERTAIN WHAT REASON USA HAS FOR REQUESTING SECURITY  
REPORTS RE [REDACTED] AND WHAT DOES HE INTEND TO DO WITH INFO THEREIN.

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CABLEGRAM TO LEGAL ATTACHE, LONDON  
RE: CHRISTINE KEELER; JOHN PROFUMO  
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[REDACTED] APPROXIMATELY MAY ONE NINE SIX TWO [REDACTED]

VISITED WARD AT HIS LONDON HOME. FOLLOWING DINNER WARD DISCLOSED THAT HE QUOTE WAS GOING AROUND WITH A RUSSIAN DIPLOMAT, NAVAL ATTACHE, TAKING HIM TO VARIOUS SOCIAL FUNCTIONS AND INTRODUCING HIM TO HIS FRIENDS. END QUOTE ON QUESTIONING HIS ACTIONS WARD SAID QUOTE I TOLD BRITISH INTELLIGENCE AND THEY SAID IT WAS ALL RIGHT. END QUOTE [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] WARD WAS WELL ACQUAINTED WITH [REDACTED] HAVING HAD SOCIAL CONTACT WITH HIM IN LONDON FOR NUMBER OF YEARS. SHE DESCRIBED [REDACTED]

SHE HAD NO KNOWLEDGE PRIOR TO RECENT PUBLICITY OF WARD'S REPORTED ACTIVITIES AND WAS QUOTE SHOCKED END QUOTE AT HIS BEING ACCUSED OF BEING A PROCURER AND BEING INVOLVED IN ANY ESPIONAGE. SHE SAID WARD QUOTE LIKED PRETTY GIRLS BUT SHE THOUGHT HE WOULD HAVE KEPT THEM FOR HIMSELF. END QUOTE SAID SHE HAD NO KNOWLEDGE OF ANY ESPIONAGE ACTIVITIES ON PART OF WARD OR ANY OF HIS FRIENDS.

[REDACTED] WILL BE INTERVIEWED.

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Attached details resulted of interview of [REDACTED]. She first met Dr. Ward in 1949 in London. She described Ward as Bohemian type somewhat "leftist" and having reputation of going with attractive women. [REDACTED] had dined with Ward in London in 1962. Ward disclosed was going around with Russian Naval Attaché taking him to social functions and introducing him to friends.

[REDACTED] questioned Ward who said "I told British Intelligence and they said it was alright. [REDACTED] said she had no knowledge of espionage activities on part of Ward or friends nor of any of Ward's recently publicized activities.

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TO DIRECTOR -9- 65-68218

FROM SAC NEW YORK 105-62043

JOHN PROFUMO., CHRISTINE KEELER., IS-R GREAT BRITAIN.

ENGLAND NY

[REDACTED] INTERVIEWED INSTANT DATE. ADVISED SHE MET DR.

STEPHEN WARD DURING NINETEEN FORTY NINE AT LONDON. WENT WITH HIM FOR  
[REDACTED] ENGLAND SEVERAL MONTHS. DESCRIBED WARD AS BOHEMIAN TYPE SOMEWHAT LEFTIST AND  
HAVING REPUTATION OF GOING WITH ATTRACTIVE WOMEN. WARD ATTENDED [REDACTED]  
MANY SOCIAL FUNCTIONS IN ENGLAND WHERE HE WAS IN GREAT DEMAND AND WELL  
KNOWN. TO [REDACTED] KNOWLEDGE, WARD'S ONLY INCOME WAS DERIVED FROM  
MEDICAL PRACTICE AND OCCASIONALLY PAINTING SKETCHES AND MAGAZINE  
COVERS. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] ASTOR THOUGHT VERY HIGHLY OF WARD AS BOTH DOCTOR AND SOCIETY.

APPROXIMATELY MAY, NINETEEN SIXTY TWO [REDACTED] VISITED  
WARD AT LATTER'S HOME, LONDON. FOLLOWING DINNER WARD DISCLOSED THAT

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HE " WAS GOING AROUND WITH A RUSSIAN DIPLOMAT, NAVAL ATTACHE TAKING HIM TO VARIOUS SOCIAL FUNCTIONS AND INTRODUCING HIM TO HIS FRIENDS".

[REDACTED] QUESTIONED WARD-S ACTIONS, HOWEVER, WARD SAID " I TOLD BRITISH INTELLIGENCE AND THEY SAID IT WAS ALL RIGHT". [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] SAID WARD WAS WELL ACQUAINTED WITH ENGLAND  
[REDACTED] HAVING HAD SOCIAL CONTACT WITH HIM IN LONDON FOR (b7D)  
NUMBER OF YEARS. [REDACTED] DESCRIBED [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] HEADED LONDON OFFICE OF ABOVE FIRM. [REDACTED] SAID SHE HAD NO KNOWLEDGE , PRIOR TO THE RECENT PUBLICITY , OF ANY OF WARD-S REPORTED ACTIVITIES . [REDACTED] SAID SHE WAS " SHOCKED " AT WARD-S BEING ACCUSED OF BEING A PROCURER AND A PIMP AS WELL AS BEING INVOLVED IN ANY ESPIONAGE. SHE SAID WARD " LIKED PRETTY GIRLS BUT I THOUGHT [REDACTED] WOULD HAVE KEPT THEM FOR HIMSELF". [REDACTED] SAID SHE HAD NO KNOWLEDGE OF ANY INFORMATION REGARDING ANY ESPIONAGE ACTIVITIES ON THE PART OF WARD OR OF ANY OF HIS FRIENDS. NEW YORK OFFICE WILL SUBMIT LHM.

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Attention: Deputy Director, Plans *B*  
From: John Edgar Hoover, Director *1*  
Subject: CHRISTINE EKKER *①*  
JOHN PROFUMO  
INTERNAL SECURITY - RUSSIA - GREAT BRITAIN *RECORDED ROOM*

Reference is made to my letter of June 24, 1963, which furnished a summary of information received from

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Re Bureau teletypes dated 6/21 and 6/22/63.

Enclosed for the Bureau are five copies of a letterhead  
memorandum re [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] was interviewed by SAS [REDACTED]

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE  
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Newark, New Jersey

June 25, 1963

CHRISTINE KELLER;  
JOHN PROFUMO  
INTERNAL SECURITY - GREAT BRITAIN

On June 24, 1963.

Higewood, New Jersey, by Representatives of the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) furnished the following information regarding Dr. Stephen Ward:

[REDACTED] has not been in contact with Ward since 1934 and could not furnish any information regarding Ward's current associates or activities.

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which furnished a summary of information received from [redacted] (7D)

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relating to matters involving the former British War Minister  
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This information has been furnished to the  
Honorable W. Kenneth O'Donnell, Special Assistant to the  
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and the Director, Central Intelligence Agency. (7D) REC-1B

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Attached relates to four prostitutes who New York has been instructed to interview in connection with the Harry Alan Towers case which the Journal American has attempted to link with the Keeler-Profumo case. Bureau desired to ascertain knowledge above prostitutes may have re Towers or victim (Maria Novotny) in case. Only one of four available for interview; one in Connecticut; one in Paris and Delia Merino's whereabouts unknown. Investigation continuing.

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TO DIRECTOR -7- N 65-68218 DATE ~~REBUTEL~~  
FROM SAC NEW YORK 105-62043 ~~BROOKLYN ASK~~  
CHRISTINE KEELER., JOHN PROFUMO., IS R GREAT BRITAIN.

REMYTEL SIX TWENTY FIVE SIXTY THREE, BUTEL CALL TO ASSISTANT DIRECTOR JOHN F. MALONE TODAY.

REVIEW OF INS FILES TODAY REFLECTS THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION REGARDING THE FEMALES MENTIONED IN REBUTEL CALL.

(72) [REDACTED] TRUE NAME [REDACTED], DOB ONE TWENTY SIX THIRTY FIVE, OGECSE, YUGOSLAVIA., RESIDENCE FORTY ONE WEST SIXTY NINETH STREET, NYC, ADMITTED FOR PERMANENT RESIDENCE ONE FOURTEEN FIFTY NINE / HUNGARIAN REFUGEE PROGRAM/, OCCUPATION, DANCER, PRESENTLY IN EUROPE PER LETTER DATED THREE TWENTY TWO SIXTY THREE, POSTMARKED PARIS, FRANCE, WHEREIN SHE STATES WOULD BE IN EUROPE SIX MONTHS. INS OFFICIAL ADVISES [REDACTED] HAS BEEN REQUESTED TO APPEAR FOR INTERVIEW SEVEN TWENTY FOUR NEXT.

DELIA BARTET MERINO, AKA YVONNE LANDOT., DOB TWO TWELVE THIRTY FOUR MAGDALENA, LIMA, PERU., RESIDENCE FOUR THIRTY WEST TWENTY FOURTH STREET, NYC, ADMITTED FOR PERMANENT RESIDENCE FOUR THIRTY SIXTY ONE., OCCUPATION, FORMER SECRETARY, UNITED NATIONS/ NOT VERIFIED BY INS/ / CHECK OF UNITED NATIONS PERSONNEL TODAY UNABLE TO VERIFY PRESENT OR PRIOR EMPLOYMENT/, ARRESTED NYCPD, TEN ELEVEN SIXTY TWO, DISPOSITION, THIRTY DAYS, WORKHOUSE, NYCPD NUMBER EIGHT TWO FIVE NINE EIGHT FIVE, FBI NUMBER THREE TWO FIVE SEVEN, APPROXIMATE E. ATTEMPTS BY 5 LOCATE FOR INTERVIEW NEGATIVE SINCE OCTOBER SIXTY TWO.

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MR. BELMONT FOR THE DIRECTOR

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INDIA, NATIONALITY GREAT BRITAIN, RESIDENCE ONE SIXTY SIX EAST SEVENTY EIGHTH STREET, NYC., ADMITTED FOR PERMANENT RESIDENCE TEN SEVEN FIFTY FOUR., OCCUPATION, " MODEL", EMPLOYMENT TEN EIGHTEEN SIXTY [REDACTED] GOODSON TODMAN PRODUCTIONS, NYC. INVESTIGATION BY INS COMPLETED ELEVEN SIXTY ONE, WHEREIN PROSTITUTION ACTIVITIES COULD NOT BE SUBSTANTIATED. NO ADDITIONAL ALLEGATIONS OR INFORMATION HAS COME TO ATTENTION OF INS SINCE THIS INVESTIGATION WHICH WAS CLOSED ELEVEN SIX SIXTY ONE. DURING ABOVE INS INVESTIGATION, [REDACTED] DENIED UNDER OATH THAT SHE HAS EVER BEEN A PROSTITUTE AND CLAIMED NO KNOWLEDGE OF MARIA NOVOTNY, HARRY ALAN TOWERS OR ANY OTHER PERSONS ALLEGED TO BE INVOLVED IN THAT CASE.

ILONA CHRISTIE AKA BATA., DOB NINE TWENTY THREE THIRTY EIGHT, BUDAPEST, HUNGARY., RESIDENCE FOUR FORTY EAST FIFTY SIXTH STREET, APARTMENT NINE E, NYC., ADMITTED FROM HUNGARY AS REFUGEE AT CAMP KILMER, NEW JERSEY, TWELVE ELEVEN FIFTY SIX, FOR PERMANENT RESIDENCE., OCCUPATION, NONE INDICATED, HOWEVER, ADVISED SHE WOULD TRY TO BE A MODEL TO OBTAIN MONEY TO GO TO SCHOOL. CLAIMS MARRIAGE SINCE NINE FIFTEEN SIXTY ONE TO HUBERT CHRISTIE LAST KNOWN ADDRESS THIRTY SIX FIFTY SOUTHWEST NINETEENTH STREET, MIAMI, FLA. INS FILE NEGATIVE AS TO SECURITY INFORMATION. CHRISTIE DURING INS INVESTIGATION ADMITTED HAVING MET MARIA NOVOTNY AND HARRY ALAN TOWERS, HOWEVER, DENIED ANY PROSTITUTION ACTIVITIES. CHRISTIE SINCE ARRIVAL IN UNITED STATES HAS MADE SEVERAL TRIPS TO EUROPE CLAIMING THESE TRIPS WERE TO VISIT HER MOTHER WHO WAS ABLE TO LEAVE HUNGARY FOR THE OCCASIONS. DURING THE LAST TRIP IN NOVEMBER, SIXTY, SHE SAID HER MOTHER GAVE HER TWELVE THOUSAND DOLLARS.

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CHRISTINE KEELER, JOHN PROFUMO, IS - R - GREAT BRITAIN.

REBURAD JUNE TWENTY-ONE LAST SETTING FORTH BACKGROUND OF INSTANT

CASE. [REDACTED]

THROUGH SOURCES [REDACTED] YOU SHOULD ATTEMPT TO (7D)

IDENTIFY [REDACTED] (S)

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RE: CHRISTINE KELLER; JOHN PROFUND  
65-68218

(b) [REDACTED]

YOU SHOULD ATTEMPT TO IDENTIFY AND INTERVIEW BOTH [REDACTED]  
IF LOCATED, BOTH SHOULD BE INTERVIEWED FOR COMPLETE INFORMATION (b)(d)  
CONCERNING THEIR RELATIONSHIP WITH ALL INDIVIDUALS CONNECTED WITH  
INSTANT CASE. [REDACTED] SHOULD BE QUESTIONED FOR INFORMATION CONCERNING,  
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**Memorandum**TO : W. C. Sullivan <sup>WC9</sup> *W.C.*

DATE: June 22, 1963

FROM : F. J. Baumgardner *F.J.B.*SUBJECT: CHRISTINE KEELER DATE: APR 6 1967  
JOHN PROFUMO  
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Bates stated he will continue to advise the Bureau of all additional developments in this matter. *(S)(u)*

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (65-68218)  
 FROM: SAC, NEW YORK (105-62043)  
 SUBJECT: JOHN PROFUMO;  
 CHRISTINE KEELER  
 IS-R-GREAT BRITAIN

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On 6/28/63, the records of INS, 20 West Broadway, NYC, were reviewed concerning the passenger list for the "SS NIEUW AMSTERDAM" which arrived in the US on or about 7/11/62. INS records reflected the following information concerning CHRISTINE M. KEELER and MARILYN RICE-DAVIES:

"SS NIEUW AMSTERDAM" arrived at New York, NY, on 7/11/62. Last Port of Embarkation Rotterdam; last foreign port before arrival in US was Southampton, Great Britain, 7/4/62. Passenger list reflected CHRISTINE M. KELLER, Grt Brtn Passport #699652 and MARILYN RICE-DAVIES, Grt Brtn Passport #699605, both in tourist class. Passenger list failed to reflect the name [REDACTED]

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Approved: *J. M. Mac* Sent \_\_\_\_\_ M. Per \_\_\_\_\_

Special Agent in Charge

(CC: WMC)

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## UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

## Memorandum

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DATE: APR 8 1963

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TO: Mr. W. C. Sullivan *WCS*  
 FROM: Mr. W. A. Branigan  
 SUBJECT: CHRISTINE KELLER; JOHN PROFUMO  
 INTERNAL SECURITY - R AND GB

DATE: June 21, 1963

1 - J. P. Mohr  
 1 - Mr. Belmont  
 1 - Mr. Deloach  
 1 - Mr. Sullivan  
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 1 - Liaison

The following is information concerning Maria Novotny whose name has been mentioned in captioned matter as an associate of Dr. Stephen Ward.

Harry Alan Towers, subject and fugitive in White Slave Traffic Act investigation, was a television producer born 10/19/20 in London. He induced Maria Novotny, a 19-year-old model, television actress and also a British subject, to come to the U. S. on 12/14/60 and work as a model and television actress. Upon her arrival, Towers immediately engaged her into lucrative prostitution work. They were arrested on 3/3/61 by the New York City Police Department on prostitution charges. Towers was placed under \$10,000 bail but prior to his court appearance scheduled for 5/9/61, he fled to England where, as a British citizen, he could not be extradited. He is currently a Bureau fugitive stemming from White Slave Traffic Act charges from his original arrest on 3/3/61.

and among other information held a dinner party attended by approximately twenty guests, including Dr. Ward, was held and everyone appeared in formal dress. When the dinner was about to be served, a waiter serving the dinner appeared in complete undress except for a black hood which he wore over his head with slits for his eyes. The waiter's appearance eventually caused the dinner to culminate in a perverted sex orgy on the part of all guests. This waiter was a high-ranking cabinet minister. His identity is presently unknown.

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1 - 31-88535 (Harry Alan Towers)

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Re: CHRISTINE KEELER  
JOHN PROFUMO  
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(b) [REDACTED] In regard to the above-mentioned dinner party, [REDACTED] advised that it was thrown by Horace Ronald Dibben who is the husband of Maria Novotny. Dibben has recently been charged with "procuring girls for prostitution." According to [REDACTED] the only connection Dibben and Maria Novotny had with this scandal, according to his knowledge, would be the above-mentioned party. [REDACTED] had no knowledge of Harry Alan Towers and had no information of any contact between Towers and Dr. Ward. X(W)

(b) ACTION

A review of Towers' Bureau file (31-88535) [REDACTED]

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agent, was interviewed.

(S) Results of interview will be given to [redacted] the Defense Intelligence Agency, Central Intelligence Agency and State Department. (S)(u)

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (65-60128) 68218 0-7 75 fm

FROM: SAC, LOS ANGELES (105-14683)

RE: CHRISTINE KERLER;  
JOHN PROFUMO  
IS - R - GREAT BRITAIN

OO: Bureau

Re Los Angeles teletype to Bureau, dated 6/22/63.

Enclosed with this airtel are five copies of a letterhead memorandum, dated and captioned as above.

(b7D) [REDACTED] was interviewed by SA [REDACTED] at his residence. On several occasions during the interview [REDACTED] claimed his acquaintanceship with Mr. HOOVER and Mr. TOLSON.

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cc: Sullivan  
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In Reply, Please Refer to  
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Los Angeles, California

June 24, 1963

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Mr. Belmont \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Mohr \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Casper \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Callahan \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Conrad \_\_\_\_\_  
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CHRISTINE KEELER;  
JOHN PROFUMO

[REDACTED] furnished the following information  
to a Special Agent of the Federal Bureau of Investigation  
on June 23, 1963: CALIF [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] He was in London, England,  
during November, 1962, for a period of three weeks. He  
met Marilyn Rice-Davies at a party in a private residence.  
He could not recall the address or the identity of the person  
who gave the party.

[REDACTED] knew Marilyn Rice-Davies as Mandy. In a  
period of three weeks, he took her out six times, always to  
dinner. She never visited him at his hotel, which was the  
Mayfair Hotel, London. He claimed that he did not visit  
her in any apartment or hotel. On five occasions he picked  
Mandy up at the apartment of Stephen Ward, where Mandy was  
residing. On one such occasions, he met Dr. Ward. On the  
other occasion when he picked up Mandy was at the apartment  
of Christine Keeler. According to [REDACTED] Mandy was living  
with another girl in Ward's apartment. (b7D)

[REDACTED] only met Ward on one occasion and the conver-  
sation that he had with him was brief; however, [REDACTED] said  
that Ward had a good practice in osteopathy, was financially  
well off, a man of prominence with a good clientele, and [REDACTED]  
felt that the allegations that had been made against Dr. Ward by  
[REDACTED] further stated that in his opinion Dr. Ward's position  
was such that he would never have been associated with  
prostitutes or party girls.

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cc Sullivan

CHRISTINE KEELER; JOHN PROFUMO

[redacted] advised that on the one occasion that he did meet Christine Keeler that he found her to be a very charming, young lady, who appeared to have a good background.

According to [redacted] Mandy Rice-Davies was only 18 years of age when he met her; however, she conversed like a woman of 30 years of age. He found her cultured, refined, and a pleasure to be with. It was his opinion that Mandy Rice-Davies could never have engaged in prostitution.

[redacted] does not know and has never met John Profumo. He claimed that he never met any of the associates, friends, or acquaintances of Mandy Rice-Davies, of Christine Keeler, or of Dr. Stephen Ward. He recalled that in November, 1962, Mandy had been going with a well-to-do Britisher who was a real estate man, and who died in November, 1962.

[redacted] recalled that Mandy Rice-Davies told him that she had made a visit to the United States with a girl friend, name not indicated, in the early part of 1962, and that she and her girl friend stayed in New York City for about a week or ten days. Mandy indicated that she had tried to obtain a modeling job in New York and, being unable to do so, had returned to London.

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[redacted] has not had any contact with Mandy Rice-Davies since November, 1962, except for a cable which he received from her in January, 1963, in which she indicated that she was planning to come to the United States. He never answered the cablegram.

In conclusion, [redacted] stated that on the six instances that he was with Mandy Rice-Davies that they always were alone in restaurants, and that he never accompanied her to any parties and he does not know the name of any individuals, either in this country or abroad, who are acquainted in any way with Mandy Rice-Davies, Christine Keeler, or John Profumo.

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